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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)

Lance LUNDBERG, et al.)

Serial No.: 09/465,506)

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For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR**)
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TRADE FINANCING SERVICE)

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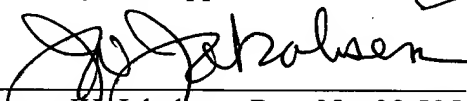
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